

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 435
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A RESOLUTION to recognize Jon Bagby on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young people with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout, and Jon Bagby, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bagby is a Sophomore at Hendersonville High School, where he has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; he is an active and valuable member of the varsity track and field team, the varsity cross-country team, the National Art Honor Society, the Beta Club and the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America; and

WHEREAS, Jon Bagby's notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 157 includes numerous Merit Badges and distinguished service as Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Historian and Quartermaster; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bagby's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of Volunteerism as he repaired, painted and constructed playground structures for the Children First Preschool; and

WHEREAS, Jon Bagby evinces his devout religious faith as an active member of the First United Methodist Church of Hendersonville; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Mr. Bagby as one of the most outstanding young people in our State; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby applaud and honor Jon Bagby on becoming an Eagle Scout and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.